Department of Health & Human Services Administration for Children and Families

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Funding Opportunity Rescue & Restore Victims of Human

Title: Trafficking Regional Program

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Funding Opportunity HHS-2008-ACF-ORR-ZV-0048

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Due Date for 10/31/2007

Applications:

This is a Modification to the Rescue & Restore Victims of Human Trafficking Regional Program Announcement, HHS-2008-ACF-ORR-ZV-0048, published to the ACF Grant Opportunities webpage on 08/22/2007. The application procedures are hereby modified.

Summary:

Building on the work of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) Rescue & Restore Victims of Human Trafficking Campaign, which began to establish local anti-trafficking coalitions, the Office of Refugee Resettlement (ORR), in the Administration for Children and Families (ACF) within HHS, seeks to continue and expand its efforts through regional grantees who will serve as the focal point for an intensification of local outreach to and identification of victims of severe forms of trafficking in persons. Each successful applicant will be required to sub-award 60 percent of grant funds received to local grassroots organizations that identify and work with victims of human trafficking, and retain no more than 40 percent of funds. In its role as planner, fiscal agent, monitor, and technical assistance provider, the successful applicant will establish and manage a local network or coalition of sub-grantee awardees. ORR seeks to award one cooperative agreement per geographic area for a period of three years. Applications will be screened and evaluated as indicated in this program announcement. Awards will be contingent on the outcomes of the competition and the availability of funds. The anticipated start date for awards is December 1, 2007.

Modification to the published announcement:

Please delete the following under *Due Date for Applications:*

10/22/2007

Please **replace** the deleted language under **Due Date for Applications** with the following:

10/31/2007

Please **delete** the following under **Section 1. Funding Opportunity Description**:

No more than 20 percent of retained funds may be used for administration and management of coalition efforts. Examples of allowable costs for the remaining 20 percent of funds include transportation, provision of services, and outreach.

Please **replace** the deleted language under **Section 1. Funding Opportunity Description** with the following:

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Please **delete** the following under **Section IV. Application and Submission Information**:

Each application must include the following components and in the following order. Applications should be organized according to the checklist found below in *Section IV.3*.

- Project Summary/Abstract of the Proposed Project not to exceed one page (would be suitable to use in announcing the grant award, if selected), which identifies the type of project, the target population, and the major elements of the work plan.
- Table of Contents
- Project Description/Narrative a narrative that addresses issues described in the "The Project Description Overview" and the "Evaluation Criteria" found in *Section V.1* of this announcement.
- Budget
- Narrative Budget Justification for each object class category required under Section B, Standard Form (SF) 424A.
- SF 424 signed by an official of the organization applying for the

grant who has authority to legally obligate the organization.

- SF 424A Budget Information-Non-Construction Programs
- Certification Regarding Prostitution
- Certification Regarding Lobbying
- Certification Regarding Environmental Tobacco Smoke
- Third-Party Agreements
- Third-Party Agreements with all sub-awardees
- Letters of Support up to three letters of support will be accepted.

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All information in this modification is accurate and replaces information specified in the **08/22/2007** Program Announcement

ANNOUNCEMENT AVAILABILITY:

To access this Program Announcement please go to the ACF Grant Opportunities webpage at http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/index.html or to http://www.Grants.gov.

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